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## Many Candidates for Lower House

POLITICS WILL BEGIN TO SEETH WHEN ALL PAPERS ARE FILED

The political pot which has been simmering of late showed signs of boiling over last week and should really break out with an eruption this week. The race for the lower house begins to assume gigantic proportions and if many more candidates announce their desire to sit in the legislature they are liable to be more candidates for office than there are voters.

S. W. Meheula has done an "off again on again" and is back in the race after announcing his withdrawal. Just what is the reason for his change of front is not known, but some of the other candidates declare that owing to the fact that he has been endorsed by the Hawaiian Civic Club, he has been prevailed upon to run so as not to open up the issue again in the club about endorsing another candidate.

John Camara Jerves won the endorsement of the Portuguese Civic Club last Sunday at the convention that was held at Koloa. He won over his opponent, A. Q. Marcellino of Makaweli by a matter of ten votes. One local politician expressed the idea that the club might have had a stronger candidate in Marcellino owing to the fact that he is better known over the island among all classes, than Jerves, who, although he may be the stronger candidate among the Portuguese, would not have the following among the other races that Marcellino would. The Hawaiian Civic Club has agreed to endorse the candidate that the Portuguese Civic Club selected, but just how far these endorsements will go in the primaries remains to be seen.

Howard C. Young and James Werner have been added to the list of candidates for the lower house. Young is a Wailua homesteader, while James Werner is the road luna in the Kawaihau district and has already served a term in the legislature. Rumor reports that with the re-entry of Meheula into the race that Werner may withdraw as he was counting on the support of the Hawaiian Civic Club in his campaign.

Matters are dormant in the race for the senatorial toga as there has been no new developments during the past week. Hoopi's strength remains an unknown quantity with all local political prophets and no gauge can be made on what sort of a race he will make.

Norman Lyman, candidate for the Republican nomination is now on Kauai in the interests of his campaign and is busy canvassing the island and renewing old acquaintances. He has carried his campaign to all parts of the island and has made not a few friends by his straightforward manner of handling the issues.

Bill Jarrett, candidate for the Democratic nomination is also on the island and although he is not delivering any speeches during his stay, he is busy lining up local Democrats in a quiet and efficient manner. Jarrett realizes that he has a worthy foe in Dr. Raymond for the nomination, but he also realizes that the big battle will come in November when he will oppose the Republican nominee if he is nominated, and is working along these lines.

Dr. Raymond of Maui, the other candidate for the Democratic nomination will arrive next Tuesday morning to campaign Kauai for the nomination. He will speak at the principal points on the island. His program will be announced next week. M. G. Santos of the Kapaa homesteads, is managing Raymond's campaign on Kauai.

John Hoopale announced that he is a candidate for the lower house which is another entry into an already crowded field. John's announcement sets at rest all rumors in regard to any desire on his part to sit in the senate.

Mrs. Sam. Kellinot remains the only woman candidate in the field and from all indications she is going to give the men a race for the nomination. She is making an energetic, intelligent, campaign, which is certainly more than can be said for a number of her opponents.

## PERSONALS

W. J. Senda, popular Lihue photographer, returned last Wednesday morning from a vacation trip to Honolulu.

P. M. Morris, of the firm of Concy & Morris, contractors, returned last Wednesday morning from a visit to Honolulu.

Jas. D. Davidson, manager of C. B. Hofgaard & Co., Waimea, returned Wednesday last from a brief visit to the capital city.

J. H. Hall, of Lihue, was among those returning from Honolulu last Wednesday. Mr. Hall has been vacationing for two weeks.

Chas. Blackstead returned on Wednesday from a short visit to Honolulu.

A. Horner Jr., was among the Kauaians returning from Honolulu last Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. M. Jaouen, of Papaloa, Hawaii, have been visiting Mrs. Jaouen's sister, Mrs. E. H. W. Broadbent of Lihue, for the past week. They left for home last Saturday. Mr. Jaouen is chief engineer of Papaloa Mill.

Rev. Royal G. Hall, minister of Koloa church, returned Friday morning from a visit to Honolulu.

John H. Coney, Republican candidate for the house, filed his papers with the secretary last Thursday. S. E. Lucas, Kapaa homesteader, Democrat, has also filed his papers as a candidate for the house.

T. H. Gibson, deputy superintendent of public instruction, arrived from Honolulu this morning on official business.

Mrs. Charles S. Christian and son Stanley, of Hanamau, returned from Honolulu this morning. Mrs. Christian had intended to visit the mainland when she left Kauai some weeks ago but was unable to secure steamship passage.

Mrs. W. R. Bridgewater, principal of Hanamau school, returned this morning from her vacation.

Mrs. R. W. Bayless, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Queen's hospital some weeks ago, returned this morning almost entirely recovered from the ordeal.

Mrs. R. H. Hagood, of Kealia, returned last Friday morning from a visit to Honolulu.

Robert Spreckels, chemist of Kilanea plantation, accompanied by his daughter, Louise, arrived on the Claudine last Friday. Miss Spreckels recently arrived from the mainland.

J. M. Cummings, Pacific coast representative of the Michelin Tire company, is on Kauai in the interest of his company and golf. He returns to Honolulu tomorrow evening.

Miss Josephine Israel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Israel, of the Kapaa homesteads, returned from Honolulu this morning where she has been visiting relatives for the past two weeks.

Norman K. Lyman, and W. P. Jarrett, rival candidates for delegate to congress, arrived on last Friday's Claudine and are busily engaged in getting acquainted with the voters of the island. Mrs. Jarrett accompanied her husband.

R. H. Worcester, Hawaii representative of the C. M. Lovestead company, plantation railway equipment people of Seattle, spent several days on Kauai last week in the interests of his company.

## METHODIST OFFICIALS

### VISIT OUR ISLAND

W. H. Fry, superintendent of the Methodist mission, accompanied by Dr. J. Z. Moore, for the past 18 years superintendent of one of the most important missions in Korea, arrived this morning from Honolulu. They will visit the different Korean communities on Kauai today and tomorrow. Tonight Dr. Moore will address the Koreans of Lihue at their church. They will return to Honolulu tomorrow night.

## Wailua Homesteaders Satisfied for Once; This Time its the Inner Man However

By CHAS. H. DOLE

Saturday, August 26, was a day to be remembered among the 31 lot-holders of the Wailua homesteads in Kawaihau district. For this day, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the Wailua Harvesting association gave a luau, a feast, in celebration of the ending of the association's harvesting of its first sugar cane crop.

At the "town hall" of the association, the Wailua (officially designated on the county school records as the Olohehena) school house, the gathering was held, and a busy scene it was, from the gathering of the clans on Friday afternoon when the school room was cleared of its desks and tables and summer vacation dust, the lumber for the tables, a quantity of 1x12 pine boards that Honk Lam, of lot 24, happened to have on hand, hauled to the school yard in Hoon Wong's big truck; and the large circular hole dug in the front yard for the "imu" or oven wherein the pork, potatoes and other viands were to be cooked, in proper Hawaiian style; up to Sunday forenoon, when all the materials were hauled away again and the school house once more put into apple pie order.

Late Friday afternoon the two fine 200-pound pigs—the piece de resistance of the feast to be—were put hors de combat and properly dressed down at Lot 4, Lum Young's premises and, under the capable direction of Mrs. Howard Young and her kamaina assistants, were—also with a dozen or so chickens, cut up and the small portions wrapped in ti leaves, making the little packages known as lau-lau, to be cooked, steamed, Hawaiian fashion, in the imu the next day, then served to the participants at the feast in the original packages, hot and steaming and delicious.

Other enthusiastic members of the association, including Maximo Costello, Mrs. Young and Manuel Neverette in the latter's automobile, were busy, the same afternoon gathering the ti leaves, to be used for the cooking, in the neighboring hillsides and valleys, and also the fragrant leaves and boughs to festoon the sides of the school room, and a quantity of the fish-tail fern, the petals of which were to be removed and spread over the tables as a soft covering on which the food would be placed.

The principal part of the preparation was the cutting up of the meat, the pork and the chickens, and tying up the small portions into the lau-laus and this took the skilled workers until late Friday night to finish, so that many of them did not get home to bed until 2 o'clock Saturday morning.

But it was worth it, they said, as they tasted the savory results of their work—the next day at the luau.

Saturday morning found all the preparations for the feast all complete, the tables and benches all built under the expert supervision of Kenji Adachi, our head carpenter, and of Kion Soong, who by the way is the redoubtable captain of the

Makee baseball team, the winning team of the Kauai league for several seasons past, and under the direction of John Unuiwi, the expert on kalasau'd puna, and his assistants, the rocks were heated red hot and placed in the large imu, several pails of cold water thrown over them, to create a goodly supply of steam, the packages of lau-lau and the large pile of sweet potatoes placed upon the red-hot stones and immediately covered over with ti leaves and then earth, to retain the steam, and the viands left to cook for four hours.

One o'clock was the hour set for the feast to begin, but it took time for all the preparations to be completed and it was 2 o'clock p.m. before the last of the hot lau-laus and chunks of uala ai (sweet potatoes) were placed on the fern covered tables, and the ice-cooled glasses of grape juice distributed. But nobody cared! Our appetites were improving all the time, and we were all the more eager to begin operations when at 2 o'clock the word was given by Fred Mendes, the chairman of the luau committee, that we could take our seats, as the meat and vegetables, hot and steaming, were being removed from the imu and carried to the long, fern-covered tables.

There were over a hundred of the Wailua homesteaders including their families, seated at the festive boards, besides several spectators, including Max Bolte, the genial plantation time-keeper, representing the Makee Sugar company, at whose mill our cane is ground, the county newspaper, the Garden Island, was represented by one of its correspondents; but another visitor whom we had expected and hoped to have present with us, J. M. Lydgate, territorial land agent, was unable to partake of the feast, being confined at his home by illness, much to our regret.

The food was delicious—the chicken and pork and potatoes being cooked to a turn and most appetizing—and the way it disappeared, under the combined assaults of the hungry men, women and children of this favored section, was most remarkable—and could only be seen to be believed. The usual accompaniments of a true Hawaiian feast were on the tables of course, the opihl (shell fish), and limu (edible sea-moss), the kulolo, that most attractive Hawaiian dish composed of taro and coconut meat, and other dainties, even a dish of old fashioned New England apple sauce contributed by Mrs. Ella G. Alexander, which was much enjoyed, though not strictly an old time Hawaiian delicacy.

The afternoon was well on its close before the banquet was over, and we all arose (not so spryly as when we had taken our seats however), feeling that we were certainly maona (satisfied) as the Hawaiians say, and the vote was unanimous that next year the association should repeat the gathering and that it be made an annual affair.

## OAHU TEACHERS ENJOY BEAUTIES OF KAUAI

A quintet of charming young teachers from Oahu have been making the Lihue school teachers' cottage their headquarters for the past fortnight while they took in everything to be seen on the island. The young ladies are the Misses Charlotte and Lucile O'Reilly, of Schofield; Misses Rachel and Ellen Day, of Wailua, and Miss Martha Berke of Oahu. They declare they are entranced with the beauties of Kauai and have enjoyed every minute of their stay here. They return to Honolulu tomorrow evening.

## JOHN GUILD IS GIVEN TEN YEAR SENTENCE

John Guild, former secretary and director of Alexander & Baldwin, was sentenced to not less than ten years in jail by Judge Banks last Saturday after pleading guilty to two charges of embezzlement. He began his sentence at once.

## MENEFOLIO LISTENS IN ON THE CENTRAL UNION SERVICES

Supervisor Alfred Menefoglio of Wainiha attended the Central Union church services last Sunday at his beach house at Hanalei. He listened in on his radio set and reports that he caught every word of the service. He reports that the organ recital was exceptionally good over the phone.

## DR. M. T. KIRBY TO SPEAK AT KAPAIA TONIGHT

Dr. M. T. Kirby of the Buddhist Mission in Honolulu will give a lecture at the Kapaia Japanese school tonight having for his subject: "The Psychology of Sleep." Dr. Kirby has spoken at the various Buddhist churches on the west side of the island during the past week and has shown himself to be a scholar of an unusual degree.

## Madame Miura to Sing at Tip Top Theatre

HER MANAGEMENT ANNOUNCES CHANGE IN LOCATION OF CONCERT

Madame Miura's concert was formerly announced to be held at the Lihue Memorial Parish house, but a change has been announced by her local managers and the concert will be given at the Tip Top Theater on Saturday evening, September 2nd.

Her other concert on Monday evening, September 4th will be held as formerly announced, at the Makaweli Community House. The advance sale for both concerts is very large and according to those in charge everyone including the local Japanese are busy buying up the 33 seats, which may cause a shortage in these reserved seats, so it behooves everyone interested to make their reservations early.

## LEGION TO PRESENT THE VAUDEVILLE ON SEPT. 30

The American Legion amusement committee has announced that it will present its vaudeville show at the Tip Top theater on Saturday evening, September 30, and that it will present six of the snappiest numbers yet offered to the Kauai public.

"The Greatest Truth," a short one act play, by Eugene O'Neill, who is rated as America's greatest playwright, will be the headline feature, while second honors will be taken by Mademoiselle X, a psychic of unusual power who will display her unusual ability to read the minds of members of the audience. That no attempt is made to convey the message to her by signal will be shown by the fact that the question asked will be sealed in an envelope and the envelope will remain unopened in plain view of the audience during the entire act. The only reason for having the question written and sealed in the envelope is to have a check in case the person asking the question claims that Mademoiselle X has made an error. No clairvoyant powers are claimed for Mademoiselle X, as she makes no pretense to foretell the future.

The other numbers on the program include Adrian Englehard and Jack Horner in "A Bit of Moonshine," King Baggott and his trained rope and several other numbers that the committee is not yet ready to announce.

## IN THE LIHUE DISTRICT COURT

Last week, proceedings in the Lihue district court were enlivened by the activity of Prohibition Agent J. F. Bettencourt Jr., who on Wednesday last descended on sleepy Mana and nabbed three violators of the Volstead act and a fourth was picked up in Waimea valley; all were brought to Lihue and were haled before Judge Hjorth.

All of the defendants were not of the distilling class but used a fermentation process and judging by the muddy contents of the various bottles and other containers brought as evidence, their liquid contents must have been of a less portable class, as all of it went into the sewers.

Mrs. Tsugi Hiratsuka and Mrs. Aki Haraguchi, both of Mana, were fined a hundred bucks each, as were K. Matsumoto of Waimea; money seemed to be plentiful, as all paid either in cash or by check.

Mrs. J. Oshiro, also of Mana, pleaded guilty to having liquor in possession and left the county building minus \$51; hers was a smiling face but bordering on tears.

Raymundo Castoeras of Kapahi, who has been prowling around Grove Farm for several weeks past was found to be without visible means of support; generally he was held responsible for several petty larcenies of chickens, eggs, etc.; a month in the bastille may cure him of his pilfering habits and put him straight again.

B. Valentine of Waimea, previously fined for conducting a rent service without a license, was up again, this time for failing to renew his own license to drive an auto. Another fine of \$6 was levied against B. V. and paid by his employer.

## Has Hand Crushed Getting In Boat

MRS. WIL WEAVER SUFFERS A PAINFUL INJURY AT NAWILIWILI

Mrs. Wm. H. Weaver, of Alameda, California, suffered a very painful injury while getting into the small boat from the Kinau at Nawiliwili last Wednesday morning, by having her left hand crushed between the side of the small boat and the landing stage. Had it not been for her heavy wedding ring, which received most of the impact, the injury would have been of much graver consequence than it was. As it was, the full length of the index finger was laid open to the bone.

The impact was so great that it broke the heavy wedding ring and crushed a ring containing two diamonds into her finger—one of the diamonds being torn out and lost overboard—the other came loose as the ring was removed from the finger.

Dr. Penniston of Lihue hospital is treating the injured hand and states that it is healing very satisfactorily.

Mrs. Weaver, with her daughter, Doris, is visiting her nephew, K. C. Hopper, of Lihue. Their home is in Alameda, Cal., where Mrs. Weaver is a prominent member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

## HAPAI WILL TAKE PLACE OF LEWIS

According to news received from Honolulu this morning, Henry C. Hapai, registrar of public accounts in the office of the territorial treasurer, is slated for appointment as treasurer to succeed A. Lewis Jr., it is understood. Governor Farrington, however, according to the Star-Bulletin, says he is not yet ready to make any announcement regarding Lewis' successor.

Announcement of the appointment of John Matthewman as attorney general to succeed Harry Irwin is expected this week.

Hapai, part Hawaiian, is one of the best known public officials in the islands, having been registrar of public accounts since 1901, and since 1907 has been deputy insurance commissioner. He has many friends.

Hapai is 49 years of age, having been born in Hilo, the son of George W. A. and Harriet Rebecca Sniffen Hapai. His maternal grandfather was Henry Sniffen of English descent, who settled on Maui in 1846 and became one of the noted figures of the Valley Island in early days.

## TIP TOP TO SHOW MANY BIG FILMS EARLY THIS FALL

The management of the Tip Top theater announces that they have made arrangements for the presentation of some of the biggest productions in the movie world at the theater this coming fall.

Among the big features that will be shown are Charlie Chaplin in "The Kid," which is said to be one of the funniest pictures ever filmed; Douglas Fairbanks in "The Three Musketeers," Mary Pickford in "Little Lord Fauntleroy," David Wark Griffith's "Way Down East," "The Queen of Sheba," "The Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court," "Foolish Wives," and "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse." The last picture is taken from Ibanez's novel of the same name and the dramatic critics of many mainland periodicals, including Life and Judge, voted it the greatest picture of the year.

It is the intention of the management to improve the program at the Tip Top and every effort is being made to prevent the showing of any objectionable films.

## WIRES TO BE UNDERGROUND

The Kauai Telephonic company is digging a ditch from the front of their building extending toward the mill with a branch ditch running in front of the bank building, into which will be placed the telephone wires on these thoroughfares. If the power lines of this district were disposed of in the same manner it would add greatly to the attractiveness of the place.